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In response to the Office Action dated November 8, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

- Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Drawings will the Examiner please enter the attached Replacement sheet for Fig. 1B in this Application.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.
- An Appendix including amended drawing figure is attached last page of this paper.

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